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Dear Sir or Madam:

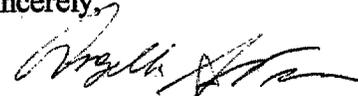
This letter will serve as a 30-day notification pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act of 1994 that NBTY Inc. is using the following statements on our Magnesium with Zinc supplements under one or more of the following brand names: American Health, Bioenergy Nutrients, Body Fortress, CVS, Dollar General, Duane Reade, Giant Eagle, Good 'N Natural, Health's Finest, Heartland, HealthSmart Vitamins, HealthWatchers, Kaiser Permanente, Life's Finest, Major, Met-Rx, Natural Wealth, Naturalist, Nature's Bounty, Nutrition Headquarters, Nutrition Warehouse, PhysioLogics, Precision Engineered, Puritan's Pride, Radiance, Rexall, Shoprite, Sundown, Target, US Nutrition, Vibrant Health, Vitamin World, Walgreens, Walmart and WorldWide Sports:

Ingredients: Calcium, Magnesium, Zinc

- Helps Maintain Bone Health and Immune Function
- Magnesium with Zinc is the quintessential bone and immune support formula.
- This high-powered supplement contains Magnesium to support bone health and structure, and Zinc, which is involved in protein formation and immune health.
- Magnesium with Zinc can also help maintain healthy skin in adults.

The above statements are accompanied by the required disclaimer pursuant to Section 6 of the Dietary Supplement Health and Education Act.

Sincerely,


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